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ANNUAL REPORT
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OF
MOTION PICTURE CENSORS
1969 - 1970

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SECRETARY JOHN R. JEWELL

Department of Licensing and Regulation
Glen Burnie, Maryland

DEAR SECRETARY JEWELL:

Pursuant to Section 9, Article 66A of the Annotated Code of Maryland, I present herewith the Fifty-fourth Annual Report of the Maryland State Board of Motion Picture Censors for the fiscal year July 1, 1969 through June 30, 1970.

Respectfully submitted, I am

Sincerely yours,

Roselyn M. Spector

Mrs. Louis E. Spector
Chairman

WORK OF THE BOARD FISCAL YEAR 1969

During the past year, the Board of Motion Picture Censors reviewed 611 original films and processed 3,850 duplicate prints. There were 49 films modified in part and 53 rejected. Listed below are 27 of the films rejected by the Board and the subsequent action taken.

On July 8, 1969, "I am Curious Yellow" was upheld by Circuit Court of Baltimore City and Maryland Court of Appeals. It is now pending in the United States Supreme Court. /

"Lonesome Cowboy" was rejected July 23, 1969 and withdrawn on July 25, 1969.

"Erotic Circus" was rejected and withdrawn on July 24, 1969.

"Curse of Her Flesh" was rejected July 16, 1969 and withdrawn on August 21, 1969.

"Camille 2000" was rejected and withdrawn September 8, 1969.

"Cain's Way" was rejected and withdrawn on October 8, 1969 (a second version was approved December 5, 1969).

"The Psychic Lover" was rejected and withdrawn on October 9, 1969.

"Over 18 ... and Ready" was rejected and withdrawn on October 16, 1969.

"Shiva Green" (16 mm) was rejected and withdrawn November 28, 1969.

"Heat" was rejected and withdrawn on January 14, 1970.

"Decameron '69" (Version 2) was rejected and withdrawn on January 27, 1970.

"Detention Girls" was rejected and withdrawn on February 3, 1970.

"Day Dream" was rejected and withdrawn on February 4, 1970.

"Erotikon" was rejected and withdrawn on February 24, 1970.

"Four on the Floor" was rejected on February 24, 1970 and withdrawn on February 27, 1970.

"Temporary Wives" was rejected on February 27, 1970 and withdrawn March 5, 1970.

"One Million AC/DC" was rejected and withdrawn March 10, 1970.

"Swing Tail" was rejected and withdrawn April 1, 1970.

"Sensation Generation" was rejected and withdrawn on April 4, 1970.

"The Art of Marriage" was rejected and withdrawn on April 16, 1970.

"Bar Maid" was rejected and withdrawn on May 12, 1970.

"Come On, Baby, Light My Fire" was rejected and withdrawn on May 14, 1970.

"Karla" was rejected and withdrawn on June 8, 1970.

"Seven Consenting Adults" was rejected and withdrawn June 11, 1970.

"Melessa" was rejected and withdrawn June 18, 1970.

"Kiss Off" was rejected and withdrawn on June 18, 1970.

The film "The Minx" was brought in two times this year in different versions (two seals assigned) and the final version accepted by the Board.

26 Peep Shows were submitted for review and were rejected and withdrawn.

MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF MOTION PICTURE CENSORS

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1970

License Fees (original Films only).....	\$12,877.60
Budget appropriation	69,998.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries	\$49,619.46
Technical and Special Fees.....	654.17
Communication	992.57
Travel	2,558.33
Motor Vehicle.....	180.20
Contractual Services.....	4,600.68
Materials & Supplies.....	655.53
Fixed Charges	152.00
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Total Disbursements.....	59,412.94
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Unexpended appropriations as of June 30, 1970.....	\$10,585.06

CATEGORIES OF FILMS

July 1, 1969 — June 30, 1970

<i>1969</i>	<i>Originals</i>	<i>Duplicates</i>
July	85	287
August	33	291
September	89	343
October	57	433
November	37	279
December	33	262
<i>1970</i>		
January	46	310
February	41	278
March	50	312
April	49	284
May	36	424
June	55	347
TOTALS	611	3,850

SUMMARY OF REPORT. FISCAL 1970

Films, Original	611	Films, Approved, Original	509
Films, Duplicate	3,850	Films, Approved, Duplicate	3,850
		Films, Deleted, Original	49
TOTAL	4,461	Films, Rejected, Original	53
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